

United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Alexandra, Virginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

ATTY. DOCKET NO. U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO. FIRST NAMED APPLICANT 4791-4012

10/540,071 Martin Hirsch

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

PCT/EP03/14213

27123 MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P. 3 WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER NEW YORK, NY 10281-2101

I.A. FILING DATE PRIORITY DATE 12/13/2003 12/23/2002

CONFIRMATION NO. 2667 371 FORMALITIES LETTER *OC000000018003791*

Date Mailed: 02/14/2006

NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/22/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/22/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 06/22/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/22/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/22/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/22/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 06/22/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/22/2005.
- Priority Documents filed on 06/22/2005
- Specification filed on 06/22/2005
- Claims filed on 06/22/2005
- Abstracts filed on 06/22/2005
- Drawings filed on 06/22/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath

or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

VONDA M WALLACE

Telephone: (703) 308-9140 EXT 225

PART 2 - OFFICE COPY

L	U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
	10/540,071	PCT/EP03/14213	4791-4012

FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice)